

JAIL PRISONERS MUST GO ON ROADS

Auditor May Stop Paying Big Bills of City Sergeants Under New Law.

RAILROAD GETS CHARTER

Proposed to Build Line From Culpeper to Washington, Va. Jones's Expense Small.

Next State Auditor, C. Lee Moore, wants to know how many prisoners are kept in the city and county jails of the State and are not worked on the public roads. Some of these men are being released to go to the State penitentiary, but the State is not willing to pay the expenses of the road work. The State is willing to pay the expenses of the road work, but the State is not willing to pay the expenses of the road work.

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ROAD GETS CHARTER

New Line to Penetrate Rich Section of Virginia.

A charter was granted yesterday by the State Corporation Commission to the Culpeper, Madison and Rappahannock Railway Company, which proposes to build a line of railroad between the town of Culpeper and the town of Madison, a distance of thirty-two miles, crossing Madison, Culpeper and Rappahannock counties.

This enterprise has no connection with the Rappahannock River project, as it is in a different section of the State. Its object is to penetrate a rich mountain section not now traversed by a railroad.

The minimum capital stock is \$1,000,000, and the maximum \$5,000,000. The officers are as follows: Patrick Henry O'Bannon, Sperryville, Va., president; S. L. Cooper, vice-president; E. J. Foster, secretary and treasurer.

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NO NOMINATION IN TENTH DISTRICT

Republicans Determine Not to Put Out Candidate for Congress.

Stanton, Va., September 3.—The Tenth District Republican Convention met here tonight and after considerable discussion decided not to put out a candidate for Congress.

The convention was held at the Hotel Richmond and was attended by a large number of Republicans from the district.

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DEMANDS REPLY FROM MINISTER

Fayetteville Lawyer Asks if He Is Referred to in Pulpit Statement.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Fayetteville, N. C., September 3.—Another sensation, apparently an outgrowth of the beer-selling case tried last week in Cumberland Superior Court, developed here yesterday when E. G. Davis, a well-known member of the local bar, this afternoon wrote a letter to Rev. J. M. Fairley, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, demanding a statement from the latter as to whether or not the pastor had referred to himself in his church service yesterday that there were "secondaries" in the case.

Mr. Fairley, in reply, which was received by Davis this morning, stated that he had no recollection of having made any such statement. He stated that he had no recollection of having made any such statement. He stated that he had no recollection of having made any such statement.

Rev. Mr. Fairley, author of the statement that there are secondaries in the case of Davis, today made public his denial of the statement. He stated that he had no recollection of having made any such statement. He stated that he had no recollection of having made any such statement.

SHOOTS SELF IN BREAST

But Engineer Declines, He Does Not Want to Die and Calls R.P.

Dependent over the fact that he recently lost his position as a locomotive engineer, a man named R. P. [Name] shot himself in the breast yesterday morning. He was found by a passerby and taken to the hospital.

CHARTERS ISSUED

The Georgetown Chamber (Incl. Broad St. and Washington Ave.) has issued a charter for the use of the street. The charter was issued for the use of the street.

JUMPS IN CANAL

Boys Save Life of Man Who Is Atterwards Locked Up.

The fact that Frank Payne, about thirty years old, well known to the police, was seen to jump into the canal yesterday afternoon, was a relief to the police. He was found by a passerby and taken to the hospital.

DUE TO ACCIDENT

No Blame on Railroad for Killing James Pope Oliver.

At the inquest yesterday morning over the body of James Pope Oliver, killed Monday afternoon by a Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad train, near the Hermitage Road crossing the coquina quarry, a verdict that death was due to an unavoidable accident. The points were brought out that the engineer and fireman of the oncoming train saw the dead man on the track and that the whistle was blown to warn him. Brakes were applied, but not in time to stop the engine before it struck Mr. Oliver.

JOHNSON TELLS HOW HE MADE IT

Counterfeit Artist Admits Guilt and Shows Where Dies Are Hidden.

SENT ON TO FEDERAL COURT Served Many Terms in Federal Prison, and Bad Record Is Laid Bare.

John Allen Johnson, arrested last Saturday by Captain of Detectives T. J. McMahon, on the charge of passing counterfeit money, was yesterday given a hearing by United States Commissioner Edwin E. Hughes. He was committed to the Federal House of Detention to await the action of the Federal grand jury in October.

The hearing was held in the Federal House of Detention. Johnson, a man of about 35 years, was dressed in a suit and tie. He was accompanied by a lawyer.

ELON WILL OPEN TO-DAY

Indications Point to Record-Breaking Attendance.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Elon College, N. C., September 3.—The twenty-third session of Elon College, which opens to-day, is expected to be a record-breaking one. The college has a large number of students and a large number of faculty members.

THE WEATHER

Forecast: Virginia—Probably fair Wednesday and Thursday; moderate southerly and east winds. North Carolina—Probably fair Wednesday and Thursday; moderate north and northerly winds.

LIGHTNING STUNS SCORES OF PEOPLE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Winchester, Va., September 3.—During an unusually severe rain and electrical storm which poured over the Shenandoah Valley, scores of people were stunned by lightning.

The storm was particularly severe in the Shenandoah Valley. It was accompanied by heavy rain and strong winds. The lightning was particularly severe.

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VETERANS WILL MEET AT PULASKI

Committees Appointed to Arrange Program and Prepare Entertainment.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Pulaski, Va., September 3.—Members of Pulaski County Camp, Confederate Veterans, and Sons of Veterans, with Flora Stuart Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, are taking active steps in preparation for the meeting of the 22nd annual of Virginia at this place on September 25, 26 and 27. Entertainment will be arranged in conformity to the invitation extended last year at Newport News by Captain T. L. Tate, who extended the invitation on behalf of Pulaski.

Several committees have been designated for the work of entertaining and the details are being carried out. This will be the second time Pulaski has entertained the State Camp, and the city is expecting a large delegation to be in attendance, from the numerous camps which are being received. The executive committee, composed of these members: Captain T. L. Tate, G. R. Chavez, G. A. Calton, W. H. Trullinger, D. S. Pollock, C. E. Tate, R. H. Moore, W. H. Bentley, Jesse N. Bostick and Mrs. J. R. K. Bell.

The Pulaski committee is making the most of the meeting, which is being held at the hotel. The committee is making the most of the meeting, which is being held at the hotel.

HOME DESTROYED; WOMAN LOSES LIFE

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CITY BOARDS ORGANIZE

Joint Standing Committees Elected—Other Petersburg News Notes.

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Death in Hall George.

Francis E. Hall, a respected citizen of the city, died yesterday afternoon at his residence near the county courthouse, in the seventh year of his life. He was a Confederate Veteran and saw service throughout the war. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Nellie B. Hall, and by three sons, Mr. J. E. Hall, Mr. J. W. Hall, and Mr. J. H. Hall. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock, and the burial will be in Blandford Cemetery at 5 o'clock.

Robbery in the Courtroom.

Henry Scott, a negro, who was among the crowd of spectators in the Police Court this morning, picked up the pocket of a colored woman in the presence of the court and a number of police officers. The woman, in drawing her handkerchief from a pocket, exposed her purse, which was seen and quickly stolen by Scott. The negro quickly left the courtroom, but the alarm given by his escape, gave the alarm. Scott was sent to jail for four months.

WILSON-MARSHALL-HOLLAND CLUB ORGANIZED IN SUFFOLK

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Suffolk, Va., September 3.—At a very early hour this morning, a meeting of the Wilson-Marshall-Holland Club was held in the courtroom of the new building, which was largely attended. The meeting was held in the courtroom of the new building, which was largely attended.

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